

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Hamid Hojaji et al.  
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Group Art Unit: 1793  
Confirmation No.: 9389  
For: Multiple Mode Accelerating Agent for Cementitious Materials

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT  
(submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121)**

Dear Sir:

For the above-named U.S. patent application, Applicants submit this Response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed July 18, 2008. Applicants note that the subject application for patent is a national phase entry in the United States of International Application No. PCT/US2005/009409, that was originally filed via the Patent Cooperation Treaty on March 21, 2005, and claims the benefit of priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/554,802 filed March 19, 2004.

Applicant's Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment includes the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** reflected in the Listing of Claims that begin on page 2; and

**Remarks** that begin on page 4 of this paper.